18 February 1948.

Captain MacArthur H. Manchester Editor The Reserve Officer Magazine 2517 Connecticut Avenue, N.W. Washington 8, D. C.

Dear Captain Manchester:

Your letter of 17 February 1948, having reference to my recent talk at the Military Academy, arrived today. Actually my talk was made to the First Class only and was confidential in nature. I am sorry I cannot forward you a copy of the text.

Many thanks for your understanding interest, and with best personal regards,

Sincerely,

R. H. Hillenkoetter
Rear Admiral, USE
Director of Central Intelligence

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"It has been brought to my attention that you recently spoke to the cadets at the Military Academy on the subject "Intelligence Requirements for National Defense." If the contents of your talk are of such an unclassified nature that they may be utilized for the consumption of Reserve officer personnel, I would appreciate receiving a copy at your convenience. With best wishes, I am, Sincerely yours, /s/ MacArthur H. Manchester"

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